

HOME AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Levying Admission Fee from the In-patients of the Sri Jayachamarajendra Institute of Indian Medicine, Bangalore.

READ—

Letter No. I.M. 377 dated 2nd July 1952, from the Secretary, Central Board of Indian Medicine, Bangalore, stating that the Accountant-General in his letter No. 2097—O.A.D.—D. 6—51-52, dated 6—7th March 1952, has intimated that no fees are recovered from the out-patients and also in-patients in the General wards of the Institute of Indian Medicine, and he has objected to the free treatment, that the Chairman of the Board is of opinion that a large number of patients who go there for treatment are very poor and it will neither be just nor worth the trouble to levy fees from them, that at this stage of development, the institute cannot be compared to a fully developed institution such as the Victoria Hospital, that the question of levying fees from the out-patients section may be kept by for two years more, that as regards the levy of fees from the in-patients, the Chairman opines that one rupee may be levied as admission fee and this may be levied even in the case of Special Wards in addition to their usual daily fees and requesting therefore sanction of Government for levying admission fee from the in-patients at Re. 1 (Rupee one only) at the time of admission to the ward and adding that the levy of fees from the out-patients may be considered later on.

ORDER No. M. 16374-6—I.M. 31-52-2, DATED BANGALORE,
THE 6TH NOVEMBER 1952.

The proposal of the Secretary, Central Board of Indian Medicine, is sanctioned for a period of one year.

G. N. NAGARAJA RAO,
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FINANCIAL SECRETARIAT

Prescribes certain revised procedure for conducting Audit of Pay Bills of Establishment borne on Amalgamated "Provincial Scale."

CIRCULAR.

No. FL. (B). 8931-9031—C.R. 39-52-2, DATED BANGALORE,
THE 3RD NOVEMBER 1952.

The procedure prescribed in the Audit Manual for conducting the audit of pay bills of non-gazetted establishments borne on amalgamated "Provincial Scale" has been brought into force by the Accountant-General's Office. Certain consequential changes in the mode of preparation of establishment bills have become necessary, and in this regard the following instructions are laid down for being followed by the Heads of Departments and other disbursing authorities under whose control establishments borne on a "Provincial Scale" are working :—

1. Establishments borne on a "Provincial Scale" are those for which a consolidated sanction is accorded for the State as a whole without reference to the requirements of each office. Heads of Departments will, therefore, have discretion to distribute the posts to the several offices according to the exigencies of service. Posts carrying different grades of pay, such as those of Inspectors of Police and Inspectors of Schools, although included in "Office Scales" should also be regarded as borne on amalgamated "Provincial Scales" only, as Heads of Departments have discretion to fill up the posts from any one of the sanctioned grades.

2. As audit in respect of the establishments on a "Provincial Scale" is conducted separately from that of posts borne on "Office Scales", pay and allowances of these establishments should be drawn in separate establishment bills and should not be included in the bills of other office establishments. A consolidated Absentee

Statement should also be furnished to the Accountant-General's Office monthly by the Head of the Department, not later than the 15th of the month following the month to which it relates.

3. The Drawing Officers should furnish necessary information to the Head of the Department in sufficient time to enable him to prepare the consolidated Absentee Statement and send it to the Accountant-General's Office before the due date.

4. Increment Certificates of officials borne on these establishments should be forwarded to the Audit Office through the Head of the Department, who will counter-sign the same after necessary scrutiny.

5. For the present, the following posts will be treated as borne on amalgamated "Provincial Scales":—

1. Inspectors and Sub-Inspectors of Police in the Police Department.
2. Veterinary Inspectors in the Veterinary Department.
3. Supervisors and Surveyors in the Department of Land Records.
4. Posts of graduate teachers and Inspectors of Schools in grade Rs. 130—10—200 and Pandits and Munshis in grade Rs. 120—10—200 in the Education Department.

The Heads of Departments will also examine and intimate to the Accountant-General, Mysore, what other classes of posts could be treated as on a "Provincial Scale".

M. SHAMANNA,
*Secretary to Government,
Finance Department.*

Issues certain procedure with regard to the exhibition of extra statutory remissions of and abandonment of claims to Revenue in the Appropriation Accounts.

No. FL. (B). 9093-9193—BUD. 35-52-2, DATED BANGALORE,
THE 5TH NOVEMBER 1952.

CIRCULAR.

Exhibition of extra statutory remissions of and abandonment of claims to Revenue in the Appropriation Accounts.

Statements of remissions of and abandonment of claims to revenue are required to be sent to the Accountant-General, Mysore, with a view to their being included in the Appropriation Accounts of the Government. The following procedure is laid down in this regard for the guidance of Heads of Departments and Local Administrations:—

(i) The statements should show the remissions of revenue and abandonment of claims to revenue sanctioned during the preceding year by competent authorities in exercise of the discretionary powers vested in them otherwise than by Law or Rule having the force of Law. For inclusion in these statements, remissions and abandonments should be classified broadly with reference to the grounds on which they were sanctioned and a total figure should be given for each class. A brief explanation of the circumstances leading to the remission should be added in the case of each class.

(ii) Subject to any general or special order issued by Government, individual remissions below Rs. 100 need not be included in the statements.

(iii) The statements for the year 1951-52 may be prepared on these lines and forwarded to the Accountant-General, Mysore, before the 15th November 1952. The statements for the succeeding years should be arranged to be sent to the Audit Office before the 1st June of the next financial year.

M. SHAMANNA,
*Secretary to Government,
Finance Department.*